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FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

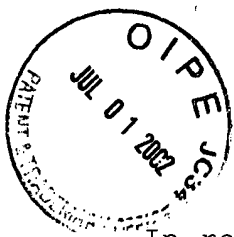
- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 370 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$255.
 - \$171 for 19 total claims over 20.
 - \$84 for 2 independent claims over 3.
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 690.

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In re Application of:

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Serial No.: 10/024,583

Date Filed: December 21, 2001

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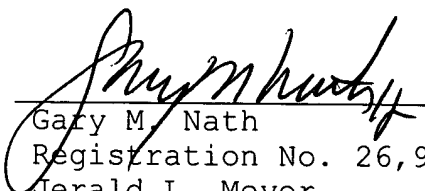
In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements of January 30, 2002, submitted herewith are the following:

- (1) Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney
- (2) Petition for Extension of Time under 37 CFR § 1.136
- (3) Check No. 16929 \$ 625.00 for filing fee, additional claims fees for 19 claims in excess of 20 and 2 independent claims in excess of 3
- (4) Check No. 16930 \$ 460.00 for Three-month Extension of Time Fee
- (5) Check No. 16931 \$ 65.00 Statutory Surcharge for the late filing of the Declaration and Power of Attorney

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Submitted herewith for filing in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is the following:

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any excess to Deposit Account No. 14-0112.

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